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APPLICANTS: STEWART BRODIE ET AL)
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop: Election Requirement
Commissioner For Patents & Trademarks
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Election Requirement dated 06/23/04, Applicant elects Group I, that is, claims 1-7 for continued prosecution in the above-identified application. Claims 8 and 9 are canceled herein with traverse without prejudice to Applicant's rights to pursue though a divisional application.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on 4 August 2004